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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) by Express Mail is the complete patent application of **Stephen F. Wobber** of Vancouver, Washington, entitled **MASONRY ANCHORING SYSTEM**, executed on January 20, 2004.

- X 1. An application consisting of 20 pages of specification, including the claims and the Abstract of the Disclosure, and 8 sheets of drawings is attached.
- X 2. A newly executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- X 3. An Assignment of the invention to The ECI Group, LLC is enclosed, together with a Recordation Cover Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.31 and our check including the amount of \$40.00 to cover the recordation fee. Please record this Assignment in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.11.
- X 4. Small entity status is asserted for this matter.

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| Basic Fee | | | | | - | | 385 |
| Total Claims | 26 - 20 | = | 6 | x | 9 | = | 54 |
| Independent Claims | 4 - 3 | = | 1 | x | 43 | = | 43 |
| Assignment Recordation | | | | + | 40 | | 40 |
| | TOTAL | | | | | | \$522 |

- X 5. Our Check No. 153654 in the amount of \$522.00 to cover the total fee as computed above is enclosed.
- X 6. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

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- X 7. The following additional documents are enclosed: Information Disclosure Statement, Citation of References, and 3 references.
- X 8. A filing date in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 is requested. The Express Mail Certificate appears below.

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